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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF UTAH, NORTHERN DIVISION**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

vs.

DIGITAL LICENSING INC. (d/b/a “DEBT Box”), a Wyoming corporation; JASON R. ANDERSON, an individual; JACOB S. ANDERSON, an individual; SCHAD E. BRANNON, an individual; ROYDON B. NELSON, an individual; JAMES E. FRANKLIN, an individual; WESTERN OIL EXPLORATION COMPANY, INC., a Nevada corporation; RYAN BOWEN, an individual; IX GLOBAL, LLC, a Utah limited liability company; JOSEPH A. MARTINEZ, an individual; BENJAMIN F. DANIELS, an individual; MARK W. SCHULER, an individual; B & B INVESTMENT GROUP, LLC (d/b/a “CORE 1 CRYPTO”), a Utah limited liability company; TRAVIS A. FLAHERTY, an individual; ALTON O. PARKER, an individual; BW HOLDINGS, LLC (d/b/a the “FAIR PROJECT”), a Utah limited liability company; BRENDAN J.

**DECLARATION OF JOSEPH A.
MARTINEZ**

Chief Judge Robert J. Shelby
Case No. 2:23-cv-00482-RJS

STANGIS, an individual; and MATTHEW D. FRITZSCHE, an individual,

Defendant.

ARCHER. DRILLING, LLC, a Wyoming limited liability company; BUSINESS FUNDING SOLUTIONS, LLC, a Utah limited liability company; BLOX LENDING, LLC, a Utah limited liability company; CALMFRITZ HOLDINGS, LLC, a Utah limited liability company; CALMES & CO, INC., a Utah corporation; FLAHERTY ENTERPRISES, LLC, an Arizona limited liability company; IX VENTURES FZCO, a United Arab Emirates company; PURDY OIL, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company; THE GOLD COLLECTIVE LLC, a Utah limited liability company; and UIU HOLDINGS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company,


Relief Defendants.

I, Joseph A. Martinez, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declare and state as follows:

1. I am over twenty-one years of age and am a resident of the State of Utah.
2. I make this declaration in support of the Relief Defendant iX Ventures FCZO (“iX Ventures”)’s Motion to Dismiss.
3. I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein, except as otherwise noted, and, if called as a witness, I could and would competently testify under oath to the facts stated herein.
4. iX Ventures is a legal entity formed in the United Arab Emirates with its headquarters and principal place of business in Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

5. Neither Jason Anderson nor Jacob Anderson have legal ownership or control of iX Ventures.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.



Joseph A. Martinez